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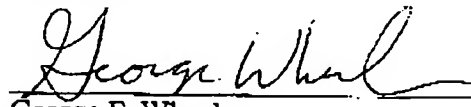
Sir:

This paper is submitted as an inquiry as to the status of the application identified above.

More than eighteen (18) months have passed since the filing of this application on October 23, 2003; accompanied by a return post-card. A Filing Receipt was received January 27, 2004. A Notice of Publication of Application was received May 7, 2004. A Corrected Filing Receipt was received February 18, 2005. No further communication has been received from the Patent and Trademark Office indicating action on this application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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